§3526.4 Surface management agency.

The surface management agency, if other than the Bureau, shall be consulted in accordance with §3500.9 and part 3580 of this title.

§3526.5 Payment of bonus.

Prior to the issuance of a new lease or a modification of an existing lease, the applicant shall be required to pay a bonus in an amount determined by the authorized officer based on an appraisal. In no event shall such payment be less than \$1 per acre or fraction thereof.

§3526.6 Terms and conditions of lease.

New leases shall be issued subject to the terms and conditions set out under subpart 3521 of this title. The terms and conditions of a modified lease shall be the same as in the existing lease.

Subpart 3527—Use Permits

§ 3527.1 Use permits.

A permittee or lessee may be granted a right to use, during the life of the permit or lease, the surface of unoccupied non-mineral public lands, not to exceed 40 acres, that are not included within the boundaries of a national forest, for camp sites, refining works and other purposes connected with, if necessary to, the proper development and use of the deposits covered by the permit or lease.

§ 3527.1-1 Applications.

Applications for permits to use additional lands shall be filed in triplicate in the proper BLM office. No specific form is required. Each application shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable \$25 filing fee and the first year's rental. The rental payment shall not be less than \$20.

§3527.1-2 Rental.

(a) The annual rental charge for use of such lands shall not be less than \$1 per acre or fraction thereof. Payment of the rental shall be made on or before the anniversary date of the permit and also shall be required on all use permits issued prior to the effective date of this section.

(b) Any use permit shall terminate if the permittee or lessee fails to pay the required rental within 30 days after service of written notice thereof by the authorized officer.

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§3527.1-3 Additional requirements.

Applications shall set forth the specific reasons why the permittee or lessee needs the additional lands for the use named, describe the lands desired in accordance with subpart 3501 of this title and also set forth the reasons why the lands are desirable and adapted to the use named, either in point of location, topography or otherwise, and shall assure that they are unoccupied and unappropriated. The application shall also contain an agreement to pay the annual charge prescribed in the permit.

§3527.2 Approval.

A use permit shall be issued on a form approved by the Director and dated as of the first day of the month after its issuance unless the applicant requests in writing that it be dated the first day of the month of issuance.

Subpart 3528—Lease Renewals

§3528.1 Applications.

An application for lease renewal shall be filed at least 90 days prior to the expiration of the lease term. No specific form is required. All applications shall be filed in triplicate in the proper BLM office together with a nonrefundable \$25 filing fee and an advance rental payment of \$1 per acre or fraction thereof.

§ 3528.2 Bonds.

Prior to the issuance of a renewal lease, the lessee may be required to furnish a new bond as prescribed by subpart 3504 of this title.

§3528.3 Failure to apply for renewal.

If the holder of a lease fails to apply for renewal as provided in §3528.1 of this title, the lease shall expire on the last day of the current lease term.